BAYOU PIGEON FIELD 01-603 and 01-604

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **WEDNESDAY**, **JULY 25**, **2001**, upon the application of **CASTEX ENERGY**, **INC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **L Sand, Reservoir A and L Sand, Reservoir B,** in the Bayou Pigeon Field, Iberia Parish, Louisiana.

AS TO THE L SAND, RESERVOIR A

- 1. To dissolve the L RA SUB created by Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J and simultaneously therewith create a revised drilling and production unit for the L RA SUB, said unit being shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To permit the applicant, Castex Energy, Inc. to utilize the V F Landry No. A-1 Well as a substitute unit well for the L RA SUB at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, which is an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J.
- 3. To find that a substitute unit well to be completed at the location in accordance with No. 2 above, is necessary and in the interest of Conservation and will efficiently and economically drain the L RA SUB which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within such unit.
- 4. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J, effective June 1, 1959, to the proposed unit.
- 5. To designate Castex Energy, Inc. as the operator of the L RA SUB.
- 6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

AS TO THE L SAND, RESERVOIR B

- To dissolve the L RB SUA and the L RB SUC created by Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J-2 and simultaneously therewith create two (2) revised drilling and production units for the L RB SUA and the L RB SUC, the said units being shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To permit the applicant, Castex Energy, Inc. to utilize the Lynch-McHugh Heirs No. 1 Well as a substitute unit well for the L RB SUA at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, which is an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J-2.
- To find that a substitute unit well to be completed at the location in accordance with No. 2
 above, is necessary and in the interest of Conservation and will efficiently and economically
 drain the L RB SUA which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing
 well within such unit.
- 4. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J-2, effective July 1, 1967, to the proposed units.

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- 5. To designate Castex Energy, Inc. as the operator of the L RB SUA.
- 6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The "L" Sand, Reservoir A, in the Bayou Pigeon Field, Iberia Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J, effective June 1, 1959.

The "L" Sand, Reservoir B, in the Bayou Pigeon Field, Iberia Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J-2, effective July 1, 1967 and redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 387-J-5, effective October 25, 1994.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 6/13/01;6/16/01 L dpe

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